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APPLICANT: David Carroll, et al)
SERIAL NO.: 10/607,857) Group No. 3753
FILED: June 27, 2003)
FOR: PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE) Exm: Krishnamurthy, R.

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 12, 2005. Each claim is provided with the proper status identifier.

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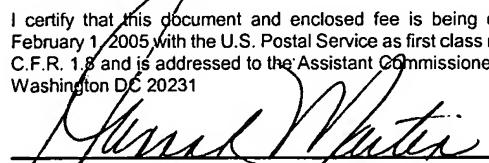
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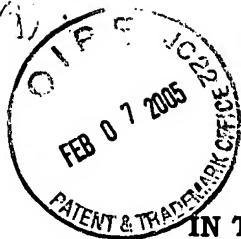


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF:)
ENGEL et al.) Group Art Unit 3753
SERIAL NO.: 10/607,857)
FILED: October 24, 2003) Examiner: Ramesh Krishnamurthy
FOR: PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE)
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AMENDMENT

The Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 21, 2004, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begins on page 4 of this paper.